

**IN THE
UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: HORVATH et al.
CASE: OST-061157
CONFIRMATION NO.: 9352
SERIAL NO.: 10/587,104 **STATUS INQUIRY**
FILING DATE: July 21, 2006
FOR: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
DETERMINING THE
THICKNESS OF A LAYER OF
LACQUER

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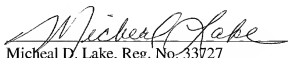
Dear Commissioner:

Over eighteen months have passed since the initial filing of the above-captioned application, on July 21, 2006. No subsequent communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating further action on this application.

Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application.

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Respectfully Submitted,


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